

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

Hironori HARADA et al.

**Rec'd PCT/PTO 29 AUG 2005**

Application No.: 10/519,503

Filed: August 29, 2005

Docket No.: 122187

For: TAPE PRINTING DEVICE AND TAPE CASSETTE

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 CFR §1.56, the attention of the Patent and Trademark Office is hereby directed to the references listed on the attached PTO-1449. Unless otherwise indicated herein, one copy of each reference is attached. It is respectfully requested that the information be expressly considered during the prosecution of this application, and that the references be made of record therein and appear among the "References Cited" on any patent to issue therefrom.

- ☒ 1. This Information Disclosure Statement is being filed (a) within three months of the U.S. filing date of this non-CPA application, OR (b) before the mailing date of a first Office Action on the merits in the present application. No certification or fee is required.
- ☒ 2. The references 1-5 were cited in the International Search Report. An English language version of the International Search Report is attached for the Examiner's information.
- ☒ 3. English language Abstracts of the non-English language references 1-5 are attached hereto.
- ☒ 4. A computer-generated English language translation of the following Japanese Patent Publication has been obtained from the website of the Japanese Patent Office ([<http://www.jpo.go.jp>]), and is attached, but has not been reviewed for accuracy. See References 1-5.

Respectfully submitted,

  
James A. Oliff  
Registration No. 27,075Philip A. Caramanica, Jr.  
Registration No. 51,528

JAO:PAC/vcj  
Date: August 29, 2005

OLIFF & BERRIDGE, PLC  
P.O. Box 19928  
Alexandria, Virginia 22320  
Telephone: (703) 836-6400

DEPOSIT ACCOUNT USE AUTHORIZATION Please grant any extension necessary for entry; Charge any fee due to our Deposit Account No. 15-0461
--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------

